





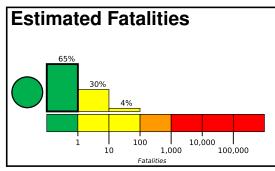
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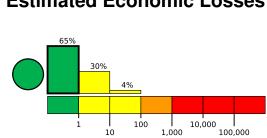
# M 5.8, 48 km SE of Gizo, Solomon Islands

Origin Time: 2023-12-08 00:41:02 UTC (Fri 11:41:02 local) Location: 8.4187° S 157.1505° E Depth: 10.0 km

Created: 2 hours, 34 minutes after earthquake



Green alert for shaking-related fatalities Estimated Economic Losses and economic losses. There is a low likelihood of casualties and damage.



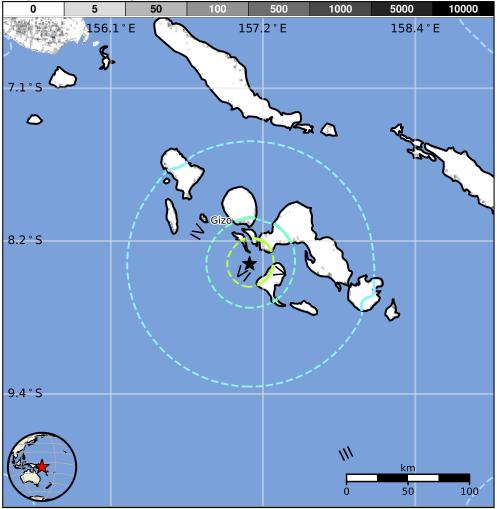
**Estimated Population Exposed to Earthquake Shaking** 

ESTIMATED POPULATION EXPOSURE (k=x1000)		_*	113k	55k	17k	17k	0	0	0	0
ESTIMATED MODIFIED MERCALLI INTENSITY			11-111	IV	V	VI	VII	VIII	IX	X+
PERCEIVE	SHAKING	Not felt	Weak	Light	Moderate	Strong	Very Strong	Severe	Violent	Extreme
POTENTIAL DAMAGE	Resistant Structures	None	None	None	V. Light	Light	Moderate	Mod./Heavy	Heavy	V. Heavy
	Vulnerable Structures	None	None	None	Light	Moderate	Mod./Heavy	Heavy	V. Heavy	V. Heavy

<sup>\*</sup>Estimated exposure only includes population within the map area.

## Population Exposure

population per 1 sq. km from Landscan



#### **Structures**

Overall, the population in this region resides in structures that are a mix of vulnerable and earthquake resistant construction. The predominant vulnerable building types are informal (metal, timber, GI etc.) and unreinforced brick masonry construction.

### **Historical Earthquakes**

Date	Dist.	Mag.	Max	Shaking	
(UTC)	(km)		MMI(#)	Deaths	
2007-04-01	10	8.1	VIII(22k)	0	
2001-12-23	303	6.8	IX(6k)	_	
1996-04-29	307	7.2	VII(57k)	1	

Recent earthquakes in this area have caused secondary hazards such as landslides that might have contributed to losses.

### Selected City Exposure

from GeoNames.org

MMI	City	Population
IV	Gizo	6k

bold cities appear on map.

(k = x1000)